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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

In the Specification:

Following the abstract, please insert the enclosed Substitute Sheets as replacement pages 1 through 10 of the Sequence Listing submitted previously for the above-referenced patent application.

Please amend the specification as follows:

Paragraph 00043 has been amended as follows:

[00043] Heat shock protein-60 (hsp60) peptides of the invention include fragments of the sequence as set forth in SEQ ID NO:1 Examples of invention fragments (i.e., peptides) of the hsp60 heat shock protein include the peptides having the sequences as set forth in Table 1 (P1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 are SEQ ID Nos:2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9, respectively). Heat shock protein dnaJ peptides of the invention include fragments of the sequence as set forth in SEQ ID NO:14, such as peptides having the sequences of SEQ ID No: 10. Such peptides or polypeptides of the invention may be substantially purified.



TABLE 1

| | Myc/ Hum | Hsp60 | Sequence (SEQ ID Nos:2-9) | Core epitope (SEQ ID Nos:14-23) | DR1 score | DR4 score | DR7 score | Pan DR score |
|------------|-------------|---------|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------------|
| Pl | MYC | 254-268 | GEALSTLVVNKIRGT | LSTLVVNKI | 42.37 | 17.03 | 276.91 | 3 |
| P2 | HUM | 280-294 | GEALSTLVLNRLKVG | LSTLVLNRL | 12.46 | .94 | 8.74 | 1 |
| Р3 | MYC | 216-230 | PYILLVSSKVSTVKD | LVSSKVSTV | 3.59 | 14.29 | 26.68 | 3 |
| | | | | YILLVSSKV | 131.96 | 4.19 | 29.83 | 3 |
| P4 | HUM | 242-256 | AYVLLSEKKISSIQS | LSEKKISSI | .17 | 2.82 | 7.94 | 1 |
| P5 | MYC | 210-224 | EAV LEDPYILLV SSK | LEDPYILLV | 28.51 | .37 | 15.45 | 2 |
| Р6 | HUM | 236-250 | KCEFQDAYVLLSEKK | FQDAYVLLS | 40.82 | 3.63 | 96.80 | 3 |
| P 7 | MYC | 503-517 | IAGLFLTTEAVVADK | LTTEAVVAD | 1.76 | .28 | 3.66 | 1 |
| | | | | FLTTEAVVA | 10.51 | 1.28 | 18.65 | 2 |
| P8 | HUM | 535-546 | VASILITTAEVVVTEI | LTTAEVVVT | 12.03 | 3.34 | 68.00 | 3 |

Table 1 shows a set of hsp60 peptides selected on DR binding. The table shows (from left to right) the number of the peptide; the origin (human or mycobacterial), the peptide composition (in bold the core epitope); the core epitope: predicted binding to DR1, DR4, DR7; and the pan DR score. The cut off points for considering an epitope to be a good binder were as follows: DR1 \sim 1.570; DR4 \sim 2.617, DR7 \sim 9.106.